

**Lynchburg City School Board  
Work Session  
February 19, 2015**

**BOARD  
MEMBERS  
PRESENT:**

Regina T. Dolan-Sewell, Chairman  
Mary Ann Hoss, Vice Chairman  
James E. Coleman  
Jennifer R. Poore  
Katie K. Snyder  
J. Marie Waller  
Thomas H. Webb  
Charles B. White

**BOARD  
MEMBERS  
ABSENT:**

Michael J. Nilles

**ADMINISTRATION  
PRESENT:**

Scott S. Brabrand, Superintendent  
Ben W. Copeland, Assistant Superintendent of Operations and Administration  
John C. McClain, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction  
Anthony E. Beckles, Sr., Chief Financial Officer  
April M. Bruce, Director of Testing, Gifted, and Guidance  
David A. Childress, Director of Information Technology  
Jason J. Ferguson, Director of Transportation  
Steven L. Gatzke, Director of Facilities  
Marie F. Gee, Director of Personnel  
Ethel E. Reeves, Director of Culture and Engagement  
Michael K. Rudder, Director of School Improvement  
Marianne Turner, Director of Student Services  
Wyllys D. VanDerwerker, Director of Special Education  
Brian S. Wray, Director of K-12 Instruction  
Wendie L. Sullivan, Clerk/Recording Secretary

**MEDIA  
PRESENT:**

Katrina Dix, *The News & Advance*

The Lynchburg City School Board met for a work session at 3:07 pm. in the Board Room at the School Administration Building. Dr. Dolan-Sewell opened the meeting.

During the work session, Mr. Rudder reviewed the status and implications of state and federal School Improvement designations and shared how LCS is taking action to meet the requirements and improve student achievement across the school division. Following that presentation, Dr. McClain provided information about the essential actions being taken by the school division to help teachers and principals meet the requirements imposed through state and federal school improvement designations.

(SEE SCHOOL BOARD DOCUMENT FILE, MEETING OF FEBRUARY 19, 2015, EXHIBIT "A," FOR A COPY OF THE PRESENTATION.)

The meeting adjourned at 4:25.

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Regina T. Dolan-Sewell, Chairman

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Wendie L. Sullivan, Clerk

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